

**CHILD ABUSE**

*Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families:* Task Force on Prevention Strategies held a hearing on Child Abuse: What We Know About Prevention Strategies. Testimony was heard from Dr. Vincent Fontana, Chairman, Mayor's Task Force on Child Abuse and Neglect, New York City; and public witnesses.

**Joint Meeting****EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS**

*Joint Economic Committee:* On Friday, March 9, the committee held hearings on the employment/unemployment statistics for February, receiving testimony from Janet L. Norwood, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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**Tuesday, March 13, 1984**

**Senate****Chamber Action**

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**Measures Introduced:** Ten bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2415-2424, and S.J. Res. 258.

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**Voluntary School Prayer:** Senate continued consideration of S.J. Res. 73, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to voluntary school prayer.

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Senate will continue consideration of the joint resolution on Wednesday, March 14.

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Sarah E. Barker, to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Indiana.

Edward J. Garcia, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of California.

John A. Bohn, Jr., of California, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

Captain John D. Bossler, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, as Director of the Charting and Geodetic Services, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, in grade of Rear Admiral, and as a Member of the Mississippi River Commission.

Sidney L. Jones, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

10 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

Routine lists of Army, Navy, Air Force, and Coast Guard nominations.

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**Recess:** Senate convened at 11 a.m., and recessed at 6:32 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Wednesday, March 14, 1984. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of Senator Baker in today's Record on page 5381.)

**Committee Meetings****DEFENSE BUDGET**

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1985 for the Department of Defense, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for research, development, technology, and engineering programs from Richard DeLauer, Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 15.

**APPROPRIATIONS—EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1985, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Terrel H. Bell, Secretary of Education; Gary L. Bauer, Deputy Under Secretary of Education for Planning, Budget, and Evaluation; and Charles L. Heatherly, Deputy Under Secretary of Education for Management.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

**APPROPRIATIONS—PANAMA CANAL/ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY COMMISSIONS**

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation and Related Agencies resumed hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1985, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from William P. McAuliffe, Administrator, William R. Gianelli, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works and Chairman of the

Board, both of the Panama Canal Commission; and James L. Emery, Administrator, St. Lawrence Seaway Development Commission.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 15.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Preparedness Subcommittee resumed open and closed hearings to review readiness trends in the Department of Defense, focusing on the Army's active and reserve components, receiving testimony from Lt. General Fred K. Mahaffey, Deputy Chief of Army Staff for Operations; Maj. General Herbert R. Temple, Jr., Chief, Army National Guard; and Brig. General Harry J. Mott III, Deputy Chief, Army Reserve.

Hearings continue on Thursday, March 15.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Strategic and Theater Nuclear Forces held open and closed hearings on S. 2414, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1985 for the Department of Defense, focusing on sea-based deterrent modernization programs, receiving testimony from Commodore Roger F. Bacon, Director, Strategic and Theater Nuclear Warfare Division, Rear Admiral Lawrence Layman, Director, Naval Communications Division, Edward Y. Harper, Technical Director, SSBN Security Program, and Commodore Thomas R. Fox, Director, Strategic Submarine Division, all of the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Rear Admiral Glenwood Clark, Director, Strategic Systems Project Office, and Rear Admiral S. J. Hostettler, Director, Joint Cruise Missile Program Office, both of the Office of the Chief of Naval Materiel.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, March 15.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Tactical Warfare resumed closed hearings on S. 2414, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1985 for the Department of Defense, focusing on JSTARS (Joint Surveillance and Target Acquisition Radar) and JTACMS (Joint Tactical Missile System), receiving testimony from Lt. General James H. Merryman, Deputy Chief of Army Staff for Research, Development and Acquisition; Maj. General Louis C. Wagner, Jr., Director of Force Development, Office of the Deputy Chief of Army Staff for Operations; Lt. General Robert D. Russ, Deputy Chief of Air Force Staff for Research, Development and Acquisition; and Maj. General William A. Gorton, Director of Operational Requirements, Deputy Chief of Air Force Staff for Research, Development and Acquisition.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

#### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS/ DEREGULATIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee resumed hearings on S. 2181 and S. 2134, bills to authorize and define the scope of powers for depository institutions and their holding companies and to revise certain Federal bank regulations, receiving testimony from Carter Golembe, Golembe Associates, Inc., Donald M. Kaplan, Kaplan, Smith and Associates, and J. Robert Hunter, National Insurance Consumer Organization, all of Washington, D.C.; Harry Keefe, Jr., Keefe, Bruyette & Woods, New York City; George J. Benston, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York; Robert A. Eisenbeis, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Paul M. Horvitz, University of Houston, Houston, Texas; Edward J. Kane, Ohio State University, Columbus; George Kaufman, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois; William A. Lovett, Tulane, University School of Law, New Orleans, Louisiana; and Almarin Phillips, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

Hearing continue on Wednesday, March 21.

#### BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee completed its review of those items in the President's budget for fiscal year 1985 which fall within its legislative jurisdiction, and agreed on recommendations which it will make thereon to the Committee on the Budget.

#### CLEAN AIR ACT

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee ordered favorably reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute S. 768, to authorize funds through fiscal year 1987 for and extend certain programs of the Clean Air Act (P.L. 95-95).

#### FEDERAL DEFICIT REDUCTION

*Committee on Finance:* Committee resumed markup of proposed legislation to provide for certain spending reduction and revenue increases, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

#### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

H. Con. Res. 197, expressing support for the agreement on a framework for negotiating a peaceful settlement to the conflict and turmoil in Central America which was reached by Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua as a result of the initiative of the Contadora group, with amendments;



H.R. 4835, to authorize funding for the Clement J. Zablocki Memorial Outpatient Facility at the American Children's Hospital in Krakow, Poland;

The nomination of Harold K. Phillips, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation; and

A Foreign Service Officer promotion list dated March 6, 1984.

#### CIVILIAN AGENCY MULTIYEAR CONTRACTING

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management held hearing on S. 2300, to authorize civilian procurement agencies to enter into multiyear contracts when such contracts are determined to be in the government's best interest, receiving testimony from Donald E. Sowle, Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement Policy; Ray Kline, Acting Administrator, and Allan Beres, Deputy Administrator, Office of Acquisition Policy, both of the General Services Administration; and Vico E. Henriques, Computer and Business Equipment Manufacturers Association, William D. Russell, representing the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Council of Technical Service Industries, and Dwight A. Ink, National Academy of Public Administrators, all of Washington, D.C.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—INS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Immigration and Refugee Policy concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1985 for the Immigration and Naturalization Service, after receiving testimony from Alan C. Nelson, Commissioner, Doris Meissner, Executive Associate Commissioner, Ray Kisor, Associate Commissioner for Enforcement, (Designee), Roger P. Brandemuehi, Acting Associate Commissioner for Enforcement, Joe Sylvester, Acting Associate Commissioner for Management, John Murray, Associate Commissioner for Information Systems, Andrew Carmichael, Associate Commissioner for Examinations, and Alan Eliason, Chief of Border Patrol, Chula Vista Sector, all of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice.

#### MISSING CHILDREN

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Juvenile Justice resumed hearings on S. 2014, proposed Missing Children's Assistance Act, focusing on the authorization of funds for fiscal year 1985, 1986, and 1987 for community-based programs that serve the immediate needs of runaway and homeless youths and their families, receiving testimony from June P. Bucy, National Network of Runaway and Youth Services, on behalf of the National Collaboration for

Youth, and Willam W. Treanor, National Youth Work Alliance, both of Washington, D.C.; Edward E. Earnest, Innovative Resources, Inc., Birmingham, Alabama; and Barbara Fruchter, Juvenile Justice Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, March 21.

#### CABLE ROYALTY FEES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Patents, Copyrights, and Trademarks held hearings on S. 1270, to modify certain provisions of the Copyright Law relating to cable systems, focusing on the impact of the Copyright Royalty Tribunal decision to impose copyright royalty fees on the carriage of imported distant television signals, receiving testimony from R. E. Turner III, Turner Broadcasting System, Inc., Atlanta, Georgia; Stephen R. Effros, Community Antenna Television Association, Fairfax, Virginia; and Shane O'Neil, RKO General, Inc., New York City.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

#### OLDER AMERICANS ACT

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources:* Subcommittee on Aging held oversight hearings on the implementation of the Older Americans Act (P.L. 89-73), focusing on Title V, community services employment provisions, receiving testimony from Morton E. Henig, Associate Director, Human Resources Division, General Accounting Office; Leon Anderson, Director, Human Resources Program, U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Patrick O'Keefe, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment and Training Administration; Ruth E. Kobell, National Farmers Union, Donald E. Reilly, National Council on Aging, William R. Hutton, National Council of Senior Citizens, David Affeldt, representing American Association of Retired Persons and National Association of Hispanic Elderly, Samuel J. Simmons, National Caucus and Center on Black Aged, Douglas Glasgow, National Urban League, and Katie Dusenberry, Federal Council on Aging, all of Washington, D.C.; and Billye McGaharn, Area Agency on Aging, Leonardtown, Maryland.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, March 20.

#### AUTHORIZATIONS—INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee held closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1985 for the intelligence community, receiving testimony from numerous intelligence officials.

Committee recessed subject to call.

#### INTELLIGENCE BRIEFING

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee met in closed session to discuss intelligence matters, focus-

ing on the proposed request for supplemental funds for fiscal year 1984 for assistance to Central America.

## House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 13 public bills, H.R. 5106-5118; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 273 were introduced.

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**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Wright to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Richard Russell Dam:** House passed and cleared for the President S. 912, to modify the authority for the Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake project.

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**Subcommittee To Sit:** Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule on Wednesday, March 14.

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**Suspensions:** House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

**Harry S. Truman medal:** H.R. 3614, amended, to authorize the awarding of a special congressional gold medal to the daughter of Harry S. Truman in recognition of his outstanding public service to the United States;

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**Lady Bird Johnson medal:** H.J. Res. 394, amended, to provide for the awarding of a gold medal to Lady Bird Johnson in recognition of her humanitarian efforts and outstanding contributions to the improvement and beautification of America; and

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**Roy Wilkins medal:** H.R. 3240, amended, to authorize the President of the United States to present on behalf of Congress a specially struck medal to the widow of Roy Wilkins.

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**Small Business Authorizations:** House completed all general debate and began reading for amendment on H.R. 3020, to amend the Small Business Act; but came to no resolution thereon. Proceedings under the 5-minute rule will continue on Wednesday, March 14.

H. Res. 365, the rule under which the bill is being considered, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote.

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**Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families:** Read and accepted a letter from Representa-

tive Leland wherein he resigned as a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families.

Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Martinez to the select committee; to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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**Select Committee on Hunger:** The Speaker appointed the following Members as members of the Select Committee on Hunger: Representatives Leland (chairman), Hall of Ohio, Traxler, Hightower, Panetta, Daschle, Fazio, Gejdenson, Kostmayer, Britt, Burton of California, Roukema, Emerson, Morrison of Washington, Gilman, Evans of Iowa, and Robert F. Smith.

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**Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group:** The Speaker appointed as members of the United States delegation of the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group for the second session of the Ninety-eighth Congress the following Members on the part of the House: Representatives de la Garza (chairman), Yatron (vice chairman), Kazen, Skelton, Kogovsek, Alexander, Barnes, Lagomarsino, Rudd, Goodling, Dreier of California, and Bereuter.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

**Adjournment:** Met at noon and adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

### Committee Meetings

#### BUDGET REPORT

**Committee on Appropriations:** Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 Report to the Committee on the Budget.

#### AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Agriculture held a hearing on Human Nutrition Information Service; and Food and Nutrition Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the USDA: Mary C. Jarratt, Assistant Secretary, Food and Consumer Services; Isabel D. Wolf, Administrator, Human Nutrition Information Service; and Robert E. Leard, Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service.

#### COMMERCE-JUSTICE-STATE-JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Commerce-Justice-State-Judiciary held a hearing on Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of Appeals, District Courts, and other Judicial Service. Testimony was heard from Lewis F. Powell, Jr., Associate Justice, Supreme Court of the United States;



George M. White, Architect of the Capitol; and Charles Clark, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit.

#### DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on Army Operation and Maintenance, Army Light Division, and Marine Corps Operation and Maintenance. Testimony was heard from the Department of the Army: Lt. Gen. Ernest D. Peixotto, Comptroller and Lt. Gen. Fred Mahaffey, Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans; and Lt. Gen. Harold A. Hatch, Deputy Chief of Staff for Installations and Logistics, U.S. Marine Corps.

#### ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development met in executive session to hold a hearing on DOE, Atomic Energy Defense Activities. Testimony was heard from the following officials of DOD: Robert L. Morgan, Acting Assistant Secretary for Defense Programs; Richard L. Wagner, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense, Atomic Energy; Maj. Gen. William W. Hoover, U.S. Air Force, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Military Application; and Charles Boykin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Defense Intelligence.

#### HUD-INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on HUD-Independent Agencies held a hearing on the Council on Environmental Quality. Testimony was heard from A. Alan Hill, Chairman, Council on Environmental Quality.

#### INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Bureau of Indian Affairs. Testimony was heard from Kenneth L. Smith, Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor-HHS-Education held a hearing on National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke and National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Murray Goldstein, Director, National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke, NIH, and Dr. Richard M. Krause, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, NIH.

#### TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation held a hearing on National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Testimony was heard from Diane Steed, Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

#### TREASURY-POSTAL SERVICE APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Treasury-Postal Service held a hearing on Federal Property Resources Activities; and National Defense Stockpile Transaction Fund. Testimony was heard from Carroll F. Jones, Commissioner, GSA.

#### BUDGET REPORT; MISCELLANEOUS MEASURE; COMMITTEE DELEGATION REPORT

*Committee on Armed Services:* Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

The Committee agreed not to take any action on S. 373, to provide comprehensive national policy dealing with national needs and objectives in the Arctic.

The Committee also received a report from Representative Montgomery on the February 11-22 committee delegation visit to South America.

#### COST SAVINGS IN DEFENSE PROCUREMENT; COST EFFECTIVE PURCHASES OF SPARE PARTS

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Investigations held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 4842, to amend title 10, United States Code, to promote cost savings in defense procurement procedures by requiring that defense procurement contracts include a clause giving the Government a right to technical data and computer software necessary to obtain spare parts under the contract from other manufacturers; and H.R. 5064, to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for more cost effective and efficient purchases of spare parts by the Department of Defense. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kasich and Bedell; Gen. Robert T. Marsh, Commander, Air Force Systems Command; Ira Kemp, Associate Director, Contracting, and Manufacturing Policy Headquarters, USAF; VAdm. Eugene A. Grinstead, USN, Director, Defense Logistics Agency; Maj. Gen. David W. Stallings, Director, Procurement and Production, Materiel Development and Readiness Command, Department of the Army; Harvey J. Gordon, Assistant Deputy Under Secretary for Acquisition, Office of the Under Secretary for Research and Engineering, Department of Defense; Como. Stuart Platt, Competi-

tion Advocate General of the Navy; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 21.

## MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATION ACT

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities continued hearings on H.R. 4931, Military Construction Authorization Act, 1985. Testimony was heard from Robert J. Lanoue, Director, NATO and Foreign Programs, Office of Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Installations); Dr. Beth Stephens, Director, DOD Dependent Schools, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower, Installations and Logistics); Col. William A. Scott, Acting Director, Training and Education, Office of Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Military Personnel and Force Management); Maj. Gen. B. F. Register, Jr., USA, Deputy Director, Defense Logistics Agency; Dale A. Seaberg, Assistant Director for Installations and Logistics, NSA; Edward W. Finnegan, Assistant Deputy Director for Programs, Defense Mapping Agency; and James B. Schrepel, Program Analyst, Directorate for Facility Requirements and Resources, Office of the Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR; DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel and Compensation held a hearing on H.J. Res. 347, to waive certain provisions of law and request the President to award the Congressional Medal of Honor to Kenneth Koon. Testimony was heard from Representative Burton of Indiana; and Kenneth Koon.

The Subcommittee also continued hearings on the manpower portions of the fiscal year 1985 Defense authorization request. Testimony was heard from Chapman B. Cox, Assistant Secretary for Manpower and Reserve Affairs, Department of the Navy; VAdm. William P. Lawrence, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Manpower, Personnel and Training), Department of the Navy; and Lt. Gen. William R. Maloney, Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems continued hearings on the procurement portion of the fiscal year 1985 Defense authorization request, with emphasis on Navy antisubmarine warfare programs. Testimony was heard from VAdm. R. F. Schoultz, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air Warfare), Department of the Navy.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Readiness continued hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal year 1985 Defense authorization request. Testimony was heard from Lt. Gen. Emmett H. Walker, Jr., Chief, National Guard Bureau, Department of the Army; Maj. Gen. William B. Berkman, Chief, Army Reserve, Department of the Army; RAdm. C. J. Kempf, Director of Naval Reserve, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Department of the Navy; Maj. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, Deputy Chief of Staff for Reserve Affairs, U.S. Marine Corps; Maj. Gen. John B. Conaway, Director, Air National Guard, Department of the Air Force; Maj. Gen. Sloan R. Gill, Chief of Air Reserve, Department of the Air Force; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Research and Development continued hearings on the Research, Development, Test and Evaluation (RDT&E) portion of the fiscal year 1985 Defense authorization request with emphasis on the Navy portion. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Navy: Melvyn R. Paisley, Assistant Secretary for Research, Engineering and Systems; VAdm. Albert J. Baciocco, Jr., Director, Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Brig. Gen. E. B. Russell, Deputy Chief of Staff for Research, Development and Systems, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## INDUSTRIAL COMPETITIVENESS

*Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization continued hearings on H.R. 4360, to improve the industrial competitiveness of the United States. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## MAKE PERMANENT CERTAIN AUTHORIZATION UNDER NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION ACTS

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Elementary, Secondary, and Vocational Education concluded hearings on H.R. 7, to make permanent certain of the authorizations of appropriations under the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1963. Testimony was heard from Robert Zimmerman, Director, Bureau of Special Food Programs, State of Pennsylvania; Richard Blount, Di-



rector, WIC Program, State of Missouri; and public witnesses.

#### **OVERSIGHT—HEALTH EFFECTS OF VIDEO DISPLAY TERMINALS**

*Committee on Education and Labor:* Subcommittee on Health and Safety continued OSHA oversight hearings regarding possible health effects of video display terminals. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue March 20.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AUTHORIZATION**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy Conservation and Power approved for full Committee action as amended H.R. 5048, to authorize appropriations for the Department of Energy for civilian applications for fiscal years 1985 and 1986.

#### **ADDITIONAL TESTING AND INSPECTION OF PIPELINES**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Fossil and Synthetic Fuels held a hearing on H.R. 3314, to amend the Hazardous Liquid Pipeline Safety Act of 1979 and the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968 to require additional testing and inspection of pipelines to minimize the risk of injury and damage from pipeline leaks. Testimony was heard from Representative Vento; Oliver Krueger, Associate Director for Resources, Community, and Economic Development, GAO; Lee Santman, Director, Materials Transportation Board, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses.

#### **REGULATION OF FAILING PACEMAKERS**

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on the Food and Drug Administration's regulation of failing pacemakers. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the FDA, Department of Health and Human Services: John C. Villforth, Director, National Center for Devices and Radiological Health; James Benson, Deputy Director, National Center for Devices and Radiological Health, and Melvin Cheitlin, Chairman, Circulatory System Devices Panel; and public witnesses.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Subcommittee on Public Lands and National Parks approved for full Committee action as amended the following bills: on H.R. 3198, to commemorate the historic trail route of Daniel Boone; and H.R. 3787, to amend the National Trails System Act by adding the Oregon-California Trail to the study list.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on those bills and on H.R. 4134, to amend the National Trails System Act by authorizing for

study the Pony Express Trail as a national historic trail. Testimony was heard from Representatives Quillen and Shumway; and Russell E. Dickenson, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

#### **SUPPLEMENTAL CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service:* Continued hearings on the design of a supplemental Civil Service Retirement System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

#### **BUDGET REPORT; PROSPECTUS**

*Committee on Public Works and Transportation:* Approved budget recommendations for the March 15 report to the Committee on the Budget.

The Committee also approved a pending lease prospectus.

#### **AIRLINE DEREGULATION—CAB SUNSET**

*Committee on Public Works and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on legislative proposals relating to airline deregulation and CAB Sunset. Testimony was heard from Jim Burnley, Deputy Secretary, Department of Transportation; George W. Douglas, Commissioner, FTC; J. Paul McGrath, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; Oliver W. Krueger, Associate Director, Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, GAO; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### **SUPERFUND**

*Committee on Public Works and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on the implementation of the 1980 Superfund Law and the Seymour Recycling Corporation abandoned hazardous waste site in Seymour, Indiana. Testimony was heard from Dr. Joel S. Hirsch, Senior Associate, Office of Technology Assessment.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

#### **DOE AUTHORIZATION**

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Energy Development and Applications and Subcommittee on Energy Research and Production held a joint hearing on the fiscal year 1985 DOE authorization (Department Administration). Testimony was heard from Martha Hesse, Assistant Secretary for Management Administration, Department of Energy.

#### **DOE AUTHORIZATION**

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Natural Resources, Agriculture Research and Environment held a hearing on fiscal year 1985 DOE au-

thorization (environmental programs). Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Alvin W. Trivelpiece, Director, Office of Energy Research, and Jan W. Mares, Assistant Secretary for Policy, Safety and Environment.

#### NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology began markup of H.R. 5101, to authorize appropriations to the Secretary of Commerce for the programs of the National Bureau of Standards for fiscal years 1984 and 1985.

Will continue tomorrow.

#### NASA AUTHORIZATION; LAND REMOTE-SENSING COMMERCIALIZATION ACT

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Space Science and Applications approved for full Committee action as amended the following bills: H.R. 4797, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management, and H.R. 4836, Land Remote-Sensing Commercialization Act of 1984.

#### NASA AUTHORIZATION; DOE AUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Science and Technology:* Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials approved for full Committee action as amended the following: H.R. 4797, to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, and research and program management; and the fiscal year 1985 DOE authorization (vehicle engine research and development programs).

#### NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Subcommittee on Program and Budget Authorization met in executive session to continue hearings on the National Foreign Intelligence budget. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Hearings continue March 19.

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**Wednesday, March 14, 1984**

## Senate

### Chamber Action

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**Measures Introduced:** Five bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2425-2429.

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**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 4835, authorizing funding for the Clement J. Zablocki Memorial Outpatient Facility at the American Children's Hospital in Krakow, Poland.

H. Con. Res. 197, expressing support for the agreement on a framework for negotiating a peaceful settlement to the conflict and turmoil in Central America which was reached by Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua as a result of the initiative of the Contadora group, with amendments and amendments to the preamble.

H.J. Res. 492, making an urgent supplemental appropriation for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, for the Department of Agriculture, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 98-365)

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**Voluntary School Prayer:** Senate continued consideration of S.J. Res. 73, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to voluntary school prayer, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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**Adopted:**

By unanimous vote of 96 yeas (Vote No. 32), committee amendment providing that neither the United States nor any State shall compose the words of any prayer to be said in public schools.

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**Pending:**

(1) Dixon Amendment No. 2782, to provide a constitutional right for silent prayer or silent reflection in public schools.

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(2) Weicker Amendment No. 2787 (to Dixon Amendment No. 2782), in the nature of a substitute.

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(3) Mathias Amendment No. 2788 (to Weicker Amendment No. 2787), of a perfecting nature.

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(4) Weicker Amendment No. 2789, to provide that nothing in the Constitution shall be construed to prohibit individual or group prayer in public schools or other public institutions; that no person shall be required by the United States or by any State to participate in group prayer; and that neither the United States nor any State shall compose the words of any prayer to be said in public schools.

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(5) Mathias Amendment No. 2790 (to Weicker Amendment No. 2789), of a perfecting nature.

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Senate will continue consideration of the joint resolution and proposed amendments thereto on Thursday, March 15.